IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

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For: PROCESS FOR PRODUCING CHLORINATED SUCROSE

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION/ELECTION REQUIREMENT

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Commissioner:

This paper is filed responsive to the Official Action dated July 16, 2010, along with a petition for a one-month extension of time, making a response due on or before November 16, 2010. As such, this Response is timely filed.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 13 of this paper.

A Conclusion appears at page 31 of this paper.